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Better Living THROUGH CONSERVATION FARMING



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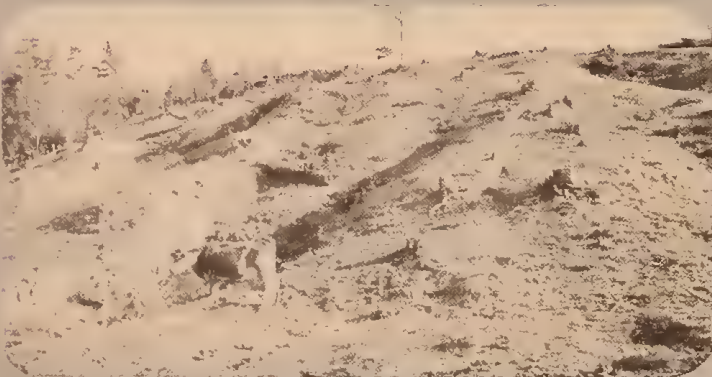
FARMS LIKE THIS CAN BE MADE MORE PROFITABLE BY PROPER CARE OF THE LAND



Empty houses and churches tell of poor care of land which led to poor crops, low income, and family distress.



Cultivation up and down hill causes gullies like these.



Bare hillsides wash away and grow nothing.



Every acre can be made to grow something. Find the best use for each acre.



Some acres need lime or fertilizer for good yields.



Some fields may need terraces.



Trees may be the best money crop for some of your land.

You Can Get
HELP
for These and
Other Practices
on YOUR FARM



Good cover crops increase yields.



Wet land may need ditches for good crops.



Other acres on your farm may be hilly and need contour stripcropping to produce best.

YOU CAN GET . . .

- Information
- Credit
- Part of the Cost
- Someone To Work With You
(TECHNICAL AID)

FOR THESE THINGS

Improving Pastures

Draining Wet Land

Building Terraces

Planting Trees

Contour Stripcropping

Other Practices

Finding the Best Use for Each Acre

Where To Go for Help

Your Agricultural Stabilization and
Conservation Committeeman

Your County Agent

Your Vo-Ag Teacher

Your Soil Conservation Service
Conservationist

Your Soil Conservation District
Supervisor

Your Farmers Home Administration
County Supervisor

Your Local Forester

Your Agricultural Stabilization and
Conservation Office